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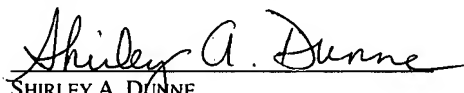
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED
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Dear Examiner:

This is an Amendment and Response to the Final Office Action of September 25, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any additional extension of time and to charge any fees which may be required to this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4882.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Entry of the Amendment and consideration of the Remarks/Arguments that follow is respectfully requested.